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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$162.
 - \$162 for 9 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, mailed August 2, 2001, there is enclosed herewith:

- Assignments of the invention to Sun Microsystems, Inc. (including Recordation cover page)
- Combined Declaration and Power of Attorneys executed by the inventor(s)

- A Fee Authorization Form for \$1,164.00 to cover:
 - filing fee for large entity (\$740.00)
 - surcharge for late filing of oath or declaration for large entity (\$130.00)
 - assignment fee (\$40.00)
 - extra independent claims (\$00)
 - 8 extra claims over 20 (\$144.00) (note that claim 13 was skipped)
 - petition for extension of time (\$110.00)
- Petition for One month Extension of Time
- A copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted
- A return postcard to acknowledge receipt of these materials. Please stamp and return this postcard to the undersigned.

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Respectfully submitted,



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